

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Weidong Zhu et al.
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Title : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DETECTING STRUCTURAL DAMAGE

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Examiner : Michael Nghiem

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**AMENDMENT TO ACCOMPANY RCE RESPONSIVE TO
FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED FEBRUARY 28, 2008**

Commissioner For Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313

Dear Commissioner:

This Amendment is being filed together with a Request for Continued Examiner (RCE) in response to the Final Office Action mailed February 28, 2008. The shortened statutory time period to respond to the Final Office Action expired May 28, 2008. This Amendment is being filed together with a Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time and associated fee to extend the period for response to July 28, 2008, and this Amendment and RCE are being timely submitted within that extended time period. Should any fees be required (except for payment of the issue fee) that are not otherwise paid in conjunction with this filing, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct the fees from the Nixon Peabody Deposit Account No. 50-4181 (266923-000007USPT). In response to the Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on Page 8 of this paper.